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COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:


The Notice of Allowance mailed June 27, 2006 included Examiner's Reasons for Allowance. The Examiner stated: "the prior art of record does not disclose or suggest the logic wherein the control logic continues to disable power supplies until the output current from the power supplies then supplying power to a load is equal to or above the first threshold."

Applicant respectfully points out that this recitation does not appear in any of independent claims 5, 7, 16 and 19 and that each of those claims is patentably distinguished from the prior art by virtue of the recitations as set forth in the particular claim

Entry of these comments into the record is requested..

Respectfully submitted,

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